

HOUSE RESOLUTION 190  
By Head

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Addie Mae Gibson on the celebration of her 105th birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pay tribute to those citizens who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, Addie Mae Gibson will celebrate her 105th birthday on June 22, 2003, a milestone that will be commemorated as yet another precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, Addie Mae Gibson was born and raised in Clarksville, and has devoted her life to raising her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, a longtime resident of Clarksville, Addie Mae Gibson is a highly respected member of the community; and

WHEREAS, Addie Mae Gibson was joined in marriage with Charles, who has passed on to his great reward, and the couple's blessed union produced two children, Pat Deering and Louise Birdwell; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Gibson is also the proud grandmother of 24, and great-grandmother of 54; and

WHEREAS, deeply spiritual, Mrs. Gibson is a devout and active member of First Baptist Church in Clarksville; and

WHEREAS, as Addie Mae Gibson approaches her 105th year, she is still an active and productive member of society, participating in various civic and community events, as her health permits; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Gibson was most deservedly named to the Who's Who for Tennessee Nursing Homes in 2003; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize one of Tennessee's most outstanding citizens on this very special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate Addie Mae Gibson on her 105th birthday and wish her many more years of continued happiness and good health.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.